

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,**

**Plaintiff,**

**VS.**

**WHITNEY R. WASHINGTON,**

**Defendant.**

**8:23CR108**

## ORDER

This matter is before the court on the defendant's Amended Unopposed Motion to Continue Trial [93]. The parties need additional time to resolve this matter short of trial. Accordingly,

**IT IS ORDERED** that the Amended Unopposed Motion to Continue Trial [93] is granted, as follows:

1. The jury trial, as to all defendants, now set for April 16, 2024, is continued to **May 14, 2024**.
2. In accordance with 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), the court finds that the ends of justice will be served by granting this continuance and outweigh the interests of the public and the defendants in a speedy trial. Any additional time arising as a result of the granting of this motion, that is, the time between **today's date and May 14, 2024**, shall be deemed excludable time in any computation of time under the requirement of the Speedy Trial Act. Failure to grant a continuance would deny counsel the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due diligence. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) & (B)(iv).
3. **No further continuances will be granted without requesting a hearing before the undersigned magistrate judge.**
4. The Unopposed Motion to Continue Trial [92] is denied as moot.

DATED: March 29, 2024

BY THE COURT:

s/Michael D. Nelson

United States Magistrate Judge